Greetings from Dr. Jacqueline Elliot, President & CEO

Every year when spring arrives, life in schools becomes even busier than usual with the excitement of college acceptances, state testing, senior activities and graduations around the corner, and more. My message to you this month is simply to take a deep breath, take care of yourself, pace yourself, and most important of all celebrate and appreciate one another and all of your amazing accomplishments. Regardless of the particular role in which you serve, you are contributing to PUC’s life changing work and creating a legacy that will have positive outcomes for generations to come. It takes all of us working together to achieve PUC’s 3 Commitments. Thank you and congratulations!
Healthy Eating for the WHOLE Family

This morning’s conversation with my 3 year old went something like this...

Me: Bo, what do you want for breakfast?
Bo: Pancakes. With syrup.
Me: And fruit?
Bo: No. Just syrup.
Me: How about apples?
Bo: No. Just syrup.
Me: Sigh.

I cut up the apples anyway, put them on his plate with his pancakes and then watched as he gobbled up the pancakes. After the pancakes were gone, he picked up each apple and dropped it back on the plate...and laughed. I really don't think the laughter was directed at me but it sure felt like he was cracking up at my expense.

I was experiencing a “crazy mom” moment. You know, those moments when you are trying to do the best for your kids but you fail at getting your kids to understand that your action is actually good for them? To be completely honest, I have had more than a handful of these types of moments in regards to getting my kids to eat food that is not just ok, but GREAT for them. Instead of being stuck in my negative feelings, I decided to put together practical tips for getting your family to choose better, eat better and feel better!

1. **BE THE EXAMPLE**

Want to get your kids to eat better? Well, remember that it starts with YOU. Your example of choosing better speaks louder than your explanation about why broccoli is better than Doritos! Do your own research and become a living, breathing example that they can follow. Don't know where to start? Check out this link from ChooseMyPlate.gov all about healthy eating on a budget! [https://www.choosemyplate.gov/budget](https://www.choosemyplate.gov/budget)

2. **JUNK FOOD PROOF YOUR HOME**

Check out the items in your pantry and kitchen. Make a list of things that are beneficial for your family and the things that are not. You don’t have to throw away or give away all the “unhealthy” items at once, just commit to replacing them with better choices when they run out. If the unhealthy options are removed, your family will only have healthy options to eat at home! Great replacement items are fresh fruit, carrot or celery sticks, whole wheat pretzels, cheese sticks, water, natural peanut or almond butter and dried fruit. The goal is to stay clear of highly processed foods like seasoned potato and tortilla chips, butter flavored popcorn, sugary soda drinks, and sugary baked goods.

3. **KEEP GIVING THEM THE GOOD STUFF**

If this is the first attempt at changing the way your family eats, you might be met with some resistance! Let’s be honest, junk food tastes good but people don’t usually realize how BAD it's making their body feel on a daily basis. If your family is having a hard time with new, better for you foods, ask them to find at least 1 or 2 healthy items that they like and start there. Inviting your family to choose the new fruits or veggies or inviting them to help prepare the meal can make them feel like they are a part of the change. Whatever you do, don't give up! It can take a few weeks for your taste buds to adjust and for you to feel the difference in your body. If your children are old enough, keep a chart or journal of how they feel and how they acted in school as you continue to incorporate better foods.
PUC Schools Takes to the Streets

PUC Schools led the way as it joined over 40 charter schools based in Los Angeles, turning out close to 1000 parents, students and staff members. Saturday February 11th’s March and Rally, My Child-My Choice brought together a diverse group of charter schools with specific demands and many celebrations. Parents joined to celebrate the current work charter schools are doing throughout our city; and to recognize that charter schools have brought quality public school options to their neighborhoods. They were also celebrating the positive influence charter schools have had on the public school landscape throughout the city. One of the demands repeated throughout the event requested that families continue to have these quality public options in their communities. Parents reaffirmed that charter schools are public schools that have brought a healthy competition to traditional public schools making public education improve all around. They demanded that charter schools be given fair treatment recognizing their important contributions to public education.

PUC Schools truly uplifted our charter partners with our immense support. PUC Schools were well represented taking us over the 1,500 mark. The orange t-shirts that identified PUC Schools, turned the crowd of charter school supporters into a sea of orange t-shirts, stating that PUC Schools stands for excellence in public education. It was clear that PUC Schools had two to three times more heroic community representatives there marching, dancing, cheering, and chanting for success in public education. Go PUC!!!

The strongest message we sent as PUC Schools is that, no matter where we go, we hold true to our name. We are Partners that Uplift our Communities through an unwavering dedication to academic excellence and a continual dedication to improving our communities now and forever. It is clear that our three commitments are wholeheartedly believed in when all our stakeholders come out and took a stance full of love and celebration for our children and their futures as university graduates, career professionals, and happy and productive citizens of this great city. We were truly an army of families celebrating our quality schools and making sure that everyone knew that we want to continue to seeing an upward trajectory when it comes to the future of high quality public schools, charter and non-charter.
Every month, Community Charter Elementary School hosts a monthly family night where families, teachers, staff, and students come together to experience CCES. In February, CCES held one of its most popular family nights - Math Night! Math Night is a night where not only do parents learn about their child's math curriculum and homework, but where parents and students actually participate in the math experience together. Families are given math games, activities, and problems to work through and solve together with their children in the classroom setting. This not only creates community on our campus, but provides a special opportunity for parents and children to work together on an academic task, and for parents to step into their child's learning world as well. This even give the students an opportunity for them to teach their parents! Overall, parents and students alike enjoy this process, and enjoy participating in CCES' Math Night.
PUC Schools Parent College Goes to CSUN

Over one hundred parents and students went to visit California State University, Northridge on February 25th. PUC students and parents were greeted by CSUN’s Ambassadors and the Chicana/ Latina Sorority Sigma Lambda Gamma with a huge welcome sign. Our own PUC Board Member, Juana Maria Valdivia, through her Department of Outreach and Recruitment made this event a complete success.

Parents got the opportunity to hear from a well-rounded panel of university students including some PUC Alum that currently attend CSUN. Students talked about the strengths that made them eligible candidates for CSUN and about the challenges they experience and how they overcome them using the resources provided to students from their similar demographics. Parents got to ask personal questions to the panel of students. The panel of students then gave our parents a comprehensive tour of the beautiful CSUN campus. Mr. Kuauhtzin delivered a heart moving and inspiring speech from his undergrad years as an undocumented student at CSUN.

Parents and PUC students ended their day having lunch and playing on the lawn in front of the Oviatt Library. Parents expressed their gratitude to all who helped make this event a reality. Thank you eCALS Office Team, PUC Parent College Teachers, Diana Wiley, Anthony Ventura, Dr. Nik Orlando, Juana Maria Valdivia, and Eva Villegas.
PUC Inspire Artists Visit Mural Mile

PUC Inspire artists had the opportunity through Ms. Vanessa Perez’s art class to take their own field trip with family to see the 3 mile stretch Mural Mile down Van Nuys. The “Mural Mile” is located in the heart of Pacoima down Van Nuys Blvd that consists of more than 50 murals hand painted beside family-owned businesses. Two students in particular had their own unique interactions while visiting the Mural Mile:

Mariah Perez visited with her mother and had the opportunity to actually meet mural artist Levi Ponce, whom students had learned about in class! They were fortunate enough to see him in action restoring a mural of Cheech Marin located by Metro Market on Van Nuys and Bartee. He insisted on letting them participate in painting a small part on the mural while introducing Mariah and her mother to gridding, a technique that mural artists use to map out their drawing before enlarging it into full-scale.

7th grader, Diego Rodriguez, was appointed by Manny Velasquez (prominent mural artist of San Fernando and Pacoima) to contact Levi Ponce and conduct an interview via email. Diego will be asking Ponce questions based on his experience as an artist making an impression in the San Fernando Valley.

We encourage all PUC Valley Schools to promote this incredible opportunity to celebrate local art in our community by paying a visit to these free art spaces.
Visit from a Visionary

by Dean Mucetti CCMS/LCA Music Teacher

When MacArthur Genius Grant recipient, genre defying spontaneous composer, decades long band leader, and world renowned saxophonist Steve Coleman hears the word community he hears "people relating to each other. It doesn’t matter if it’s a community here, a community in France or a community in Brazil. It’s just people using their creativity trying to build, for lack of a better word, positive development.” A few months ago, Steve Coleman and his band conducted their second workshop (the first was in December of 2015) at PUC CCMS in hopes of helping to create some positive development with our 6th grade students. And by the likes of the sights, sounds, and activity witnessed that day; they succeeded in doing just that.

Many consider Steve Coleman to be as important to music as figures past like Charlie Parker and John Coltrane. Those associations are not taken lightly, and his impact on creative music of the last few decades is a testament to the claim that he is as highly influential to a large number of people as there has been in the last twenty years. Steve travels the world playing his one of a kind spontaneously creative music all the while educating himself on cultural and philosophical concepts through sabbatical trips from India to Cuba to Haiti to Africa and beyond.

Steve considers a large part of his work is to give something back to young people as many gave to him so that he could be the musician he is today. Of this he says, “I don’t look at this music as entertainment. I know it can be entertaining, and I know some people are coming to it to be entertained. But I look at it more like storytelling. For me, we’re transmitting messages. Yes, storytelling can be entertainment, but it can also be painful and a lot of different things. I look at it more in the sense of griot or a troubadour — like we’re traveling musicians telling stories and preserving certain traditions.” On his second visit to CCMS, Steve brought his band to tell stories to and with our 6th grade percussion class. They had discussions, played some of his music, and spontaneously created some songs together on the spot. It is this type of learning, from master musicians in an in the moment experience with people they may have never come in to contact with outside of our class that day; that our students may be getting something they could or would not get anywhere else.
This is the stuff that sparks fire we may not have the pleasure of witnessing ourselves, but can set our students on paths beyond our own knowing and expectations for years to come. And when you tell our children that a certified MacArthur “genius” is coming to visit them in their school they light up like no other. Because to our students, if a genius is coming to talk to them, play music with them, or relate to them; that says to our students ‘well, maybe I’m a genius. Maybe I am somebody. Maybe I am smart and can do something great and give back at some point.’ And as we as their teachers know this to be true, it may take someone like Steve Coleman coming to play, hang, and tell them stories for them to realize that a little bit more for themselves.

Thanks to all at CCMS in helping this event to be possible, especially to CCMS principal Claudio Estrada and assistant principal Sarah Seinfeld for their continued support of my ideas for things like this to happen at our school. And special thanks to Dr. Elliot for her continued support of the arts at all of the PUC schools. Big shout out to Todd Simon (CCECHS music teacher) for allowing us to use his room for the workshop. As a special bonus and total dream, check out the link of the video below of Steve Coleman explaining one of his compositions while on a trip to Cuba, and sporting his new favorite PUC CCMS Dolphin t-shirt of course!

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NiuCafYOmb4
PUC Excel Students Go on Whale Watching Field Trip

On February 10th the 7th grade scholars at PUC Excel Charter Academy went on a field trip to Newport Beach to go whale watching. It was great opportunity for PUC Excel scholars to deepen their understanding of some of the animals and ecosystems they have been studying this trimester in science class. We had the opportunity to see whales, dolphins and sea lions while learning about marine ecosystems from knowledgeable marine biologists. We ended the day with a picnic at a local park where students go to enjoy the beach and spend quality time with their classmates and teachers.
PUC Excel Charter Academy and Milagro Charter not only share the same campus, both schools also share an immense appreciation for literature. On March 2nd, the schools partnered and celebrated the art of literature. Excel’s two cohorts with the greatest Lexile growth had the opportunity to go downstairs to read to Milagro students. Mr. Hamlin’s UCLA 6th grade cohort and Mr. Rodriguez’s CSUN 8th grade cohort, were the Lexile winners for the month of February. They visited kinder, first, and second grade classrooms. The butterflies welcomed the wolves into their classroom with much eagerness and excitement. Milagro students attentively listened to Excel students while they read a book of their selection.

One of the most emotive moments was when various kinder students from Ms. Lisa’s class gathered around 8th grader Andrew Salas. His loud and clear voice, and his ability to produce emotion into the reading is what had a crowd going around him. It was noticeable that he was able to embed a visualization of the book in the students’ minds. The respect that radiated amongst both sides was a sweet sight for adults in the classroom.

After discussing with students about their thoughts on the experience, Andrew said, “It felt good to know that younger children looked up to me.” At Excel students are reminded each day of their tremendous potential to be role models in the community. To be able to do it in their sacred space made it an even greater experience. All students showed their gratitude on the experience and are looking for other similar opportunities. Excel wants to thank Milagro for this amazing collaboration. All for the love of literature!

-Mariana Ramirez
Student Service Coordinator
PUC Community Charter Middle School Journalists Tour the LA Times

Brandy Brown - 6th Grade ELA and Journalism Club Leader

This past month, the CCMS Journalism team went on an enlightening tour of the L.A. Times to see and experience how real-world journalists craft high quality articles.

Students prepared for the trip by researching the L.A. Times and reading articles by their journalists. We then discussed questions we could ask the journalists we met to bring back to our own newsletter and improve our craft. The students were both excited and prepared for an exciting trip.

We took the Metro Red Line downtown and walked down the hill to the L.A. Times Editorial Building. The inside of the building is gorgeous with a dome mural and a giant globe in the center. There are also displays of L.A. Times headlines, Pulitzer Prize winning articles, and even an authentic linotype machine which was used before digital print. Immediately, students knew they would be seeing world-class work.

We toured the entire building, getting to see and meet award winning journalists and cartoonists. Our tour guide discussed the importance of asking the right questions, sources, and the responsibilities journalists have to their readers and the world.

The tour was full of great opportunities for students to ask questions and win some fun prizes. One student won a 6 month subscription to the L.A. Times and students received books from the L.A. Times to help improve their craft.

After the tour our group debriefed on the important information we learned about the traits and writing skills of professional journalists. The lessons learned on the tour were motivating to the students as they began their next round of articles and you can see the lessons reflected in their work in our upcoming newsletter which will be published this Monday.

We hope to be able to return again and, maybe next year, tour the printing building to watch the newspapers be made.
Student Led Conferences at PUC Lakeview Charter High School

On Thursday, March 9th Lakeview Charter High School held their first Student Led Conferences. Over 240 families attended the Conferences! Students proudly sat down with their parents to share the work they have completed. In the portfolios, students included work samples, reflections from each class and a grade reflection. Parents were engaged in conversations around the work students had completed. After sharing their portfolio, students walked around with their parents to visit their other classroom teachers.

PUC's Retirement Plan Team Adds Another Pro

Itziar Ramos, also known as Kiri, has joined the retirement plan team. She has been a consultant with Retirement Benefits Consulting for 17 years—and in fact, she was one of the company's founders.

Prior to her career helping individuals and families, especially teachers, manage their money and plan for the future, she worked as a dentist in her original home of Panama. She came to the United States in 2000. If you'd like to sign up for the PUC 403(b) in Spanish, or just want to chat about el clima, Kiri is fluent. If you are a newer PUC staff member and you expressed your interest in the past several months, she may be contacting you about enrollment.

If you have questions about the PUC retirement plan, including signing up if you haven't already, contact Liz Schiller, the leader of the retirement team, at lschiller@gcsec.com or (818) 668-8444 ext 116 and either she or Kiri will assist you. Both Liz and Kiri can also help with general financial questions.

Securities offered through Gold Coast Securities, Inc (GCS) member FINRA/SIPC. Retirement Benefits Consulting, GCS and PUC are unaffiliated.
In February, Community Charter Elementary School participated in their first annual Kindness Week, where students take on the Great Kindness Challenge! During this week, students are given a list of 50 different kind acts, and their challenge is to carry out as many kind acts as possible, which positively affects the school culture and climate. In addition to the kind acts students perform, teachers also facilitate a "kindness artifact" in their classes, where students make a pledge to be kind on a daily basis, and use their artifact as a way to show their commitment to kindness. During recess three time this week, a "Kindness Station" is set up to provide students with a place to write positive notes, thank you cards, and even draw pictures to show their kindness to others and help students carry out their kind acts. PCCES also held Spirit Week this week, where each day's dress up theme was guided by the theme of kindness. Here are a few examples: "Kindness Rocks!" - Rock n' Roll Day, "Wild About Kindness!" - Animal Print/Animal Day, and "Peace, Love, and Kindness" - Hippie Day! There was also "Dream about Kindness" - Pajama Day, and "Tied Together by Kindness" - Wear a Tie! All these Spirit Days helped students to recognize the importance of kindness and being kind on a daily basis.
PUC CCECHS Student Accepted into Boarding School

Frank Silva, a freshman at CCECHS, was recently accepted into Phillips Exeter Academy. Frank is a talented musician and student who is a great role model to all of his peers. He is looked up to as a leader among the freshman class and we are extremely proud of him! Phillips Exeter Academy is a very prestigious boarding school in New Hampshire. With the help of his family, teachers, and school administrators he decided to apply in November after doing some independent research on boarding schools. He worked tirelessly throughout winter break to prepare himself for the SSAT, the Secondary School Admissions Test, and write his personal statement.

LCHS COLLEGE & CAREER FAIR

On February 9th, PUC Lakeview Charter High School held their 2nd annual College and Career Fair. With over 40 college and university representatives in attendance and more than 400 people present, this was a very successful event. The fair was open to all PUC students, families and community members who bombarded representative with questions regarding majors, highlights and how their campus stands out from others. The main focus of the event was to continue to foster the college going culture and expose students and parents to in state and out of state universities. Parents and students were able to start their college bound network and attend workshops on the topics of “Preparing for a 4 year university” and “Financial Aid”.

Furthermore, the LCHS fabulous PUC staff held information booths on Advanced Placement Courses, Specific Majors, PowerSchool & Naviance, Clinical Counseling and Inclusion.

Some of the college representatives included: Azusa Pacific University, CSUN, Casa Loma College, Glendale CC, Loyola Marymount University, Northern Arizona University, UCLA, UC San Diego, UC Riverside, Saint Benedicts, Saint Johns, Los Angeles Mission College, Pierce College, US Naval Academy and many other great universities.

We would like to thank all that attended our event! GO Lakeview, Go PUC!
PUC Community Charter Boys Soccer Team Has Historic Season

The bar was raised for the boys soccer team at CCECHS this year. After winning the Division 5 Championship Game in 2015, and returning to the Championship Game once again in 2016, the boys were moved up to Division 3 this year, where they would face schools in the playoffs with enrollments of over 2,000 and 3,000 students.

The boys finished their regular season as League Champions with an 11-0 record, and were seeded as the #5 team in the Division 3 playoff brackets. In the first round they defeated nearby Verdugo Hills with a score of 2-1, followed by a dominant win of 3-1 in the second round over Marshall High School. In the semifinal round, many teachers and students cheered the Titans on in their suspenseful win over Sun Valley, which went all the way to penalty kicks, with Community Charter scoring 5 goals and Sun Valley 4.

On Saturday, March 4th, the Titans travelled to LA Valley College to face the #2 team Hamilton High School in the Division 3 Championship Game. Prior to this game, Hamilton had not been scored on at all during the playoffs, with wins in the previous rounds of 1-0, 3-0, and 2-0. Community Charter changed that. The Titans won the championship game with a commanding win of 2-0, with goals by junior Andres Gutierrez and senior Mark Lopez.

In addition to the two goals, the Community Charter senior goalie Jaime Vazquez was a standout. In a Daily News article about the game, Lorrie Reyes wrote, “The Hamilton boys soccer team were the aggressors for most of the match in the CIF L.A. City Section Division III championship. But that didn’t shake Community Charter of Lakeview Terrace in its 2-0 win Saturday afternoon at L.A. Valley College. Despite Hamilton’s early 7-2 shots on goal advantage in the first 20 minutes of the match, Community Charter goalie Jaime Vazquez didn’t let anything by him.”

After the boys’ championship victory, they advanced to the Southern California Regional Playoffs. Two years ago, the team made it this far, but lost in their first game of the Division 5 SoCal playoffs. This year they were placed in the more competitive Division 4 SoCal playoffs, and they made history by being the first ever PUC sports team to win a SoCal Regional Playoff game and move on to the second round.

The Press Telegram reported on the game, and senior Gerardo Cisneros goal, “It wasn’t quite David beating Goliath, but underdog Community Charter High’s boys soccer team struck in the 75th minute of the CIF Southern California Regional Division IV first-round match on Tuesday at Ron Yary Stadium to upset Bellflower 1-0. Community Charter (22-2-1) is seeded No. 7 after winning the L.A. City Section Division III title, but the school is less than half the size of Bellflower.”

The boys attributed the success of their season to their hard work and team chemistry, playing together since 6th grade or for some even before that, and the dedication of their coaches, Mike Miranda and Juan Carlos Gallo, both of whom are CCECHS alumni themselves.

References:
NECA placed first place at the February 25, 2017 Sharp Cheer Tournament. The event was hosted at Crescent Valley High School. NECA Cheer also participated in the Sharp Cheer competition hosted at Whittier High School March 4, 2017 and again placed first place in their division!

We are very proud of our girls and boys who make up the NECA Cheer Team! They work hard every day in the classroom passing their classes to earn the right to participate in cheer and on the mats practicing their routines! A huge thank you to the parents, family members, the NECA after school team, Brissa, Yadira and coach Ashely for their support! Way to go NECA! We are all very proud of you!

Come out and join us! Next tournaments:
March 25, 2017 - Citrus College
April 9, 2017 - Magic Mountain

PUC Family Health Day

PUC Family Health Day 2017- April 1st from 11am-2pm at the PUC Education Complex (11500 Eldridge Ave.)
https://drive.google.com/file/d/0BwaGPzwdMAECcnlCZEk4NmlpbEU/view?usp=sharing
PUC Parents Engaging in Civic Responsibilities

Several house parties to Get the Vote Out were held by PUC parents in Board District 2. They were able to get close to 400 commitments for their candidate of choice Monica Garcia after two days of calling. Parents reached out to the Parent Teacher Alliance to organize themselves and be able to call voters asking for votes in favor of Monica Garcia. One parent said when offering her home, “Even if we have to sit on the floor we will come together and support Monica Garcia.” Parents from all LA schools joined this effort. Parent Teacher Alliance Organizers said, “If we only had more parents like these we would be further ahead with the confirmations needed to secure an immediate victory for Monica Garcia.” Mr. Kuauhtzin shared that many of the PUC parent leaders organizing these house parties have been developing themselves as leaders for several years through PUC Schools Parent Leadership Circles. We are very proud of our PUC Parent Leadership who are leading the way through Civic Engagement.
Employee Referral Program

Every year PUC receives some of its best teacher candidates from current employees and this year we would like to see teacher referrals meet an all-time high! After all, who better than our own teachers to know what kind of candidate would be a great fit for PUC?

Our teacher referral program offers some great benefits to you as a current employee. This year we are offering a monetary bonus!

How do I get it?

Employee Referral Program

In order to receive the hiring bonus, the applicant must list your full name in the “How did you hear about us” box on our application.

Are there any exclusions?

Employee Referral Program

If you are considered a PUC Hiring Manager (All Managers, Directors, Coordinators, Instructional Team Member and School Leaders), you do not qualify for the referral program.

Tips for Team Members!

We recommend that you email any potential friends or family with a link to our Career Opportunities page, and let them know they must list your name in order for you to receive the referral bonus. Posting the link on your Facebook, LinkedIn, or Twitter account with those brief directions may also prove fruitful.

Best of luck.

Employee Referral Program Questions?

For more information, please visit
http://www.pucschools.org/careers/refer
or contact a member of the recruitment team at careers@pucschools.org!
Glassdoor and Indeed

PUC is on the Glassdoor and Indeed job site where you can leave a review about your experience here at PUC!

In case you’re not familiar with the job sites they are similar to Yelp!

See our links below:

http://www.glassdoor.com/Overview/Working-at-PUC-Schools-EI_IE465918.11,22.htm
http://www.indeed.com/cmp/Puc-Schools

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The link below provides the details as well as the new program code necessary to purchase Office.

Human Resources Employee Perks Program

Human Resources is pleased to announce a new employee benefit. All employees now have exclusive access to the Working Advantage discount network which allows you to save up 60% on ticketed events and online shopping. Through Working Advantage you can save on: Movie Tickets, Theme Parks, Ski Tickets, Broadway Shows, Sporting Events, Hotels and Travel, Health and Fitness, Museums and City Passes, Merchant Gift Certificates, Online Shopping...and much more! To subscribe, you may access the Working Advantage website by clicking here: www.workingadvantage.com. When opening an individual account you will need the PUC Schools ID #413401740.

Working Advantage offers 24-hour online shopping and customer support Monday through Friday from 8:30 AM to 6:30 PM Eastern time. If you have specific questions regarding the site, please contact Working Advantage at 800-565-3712.

Human Resources has AMC tickets available for sale. As of August 1, 2016, AMC will no longer sell Silver, Gold or Green Tickets; they have decided to move to one ticket going forward which will be the Black Ticket. PLEASE NOTE: May be subject to surcharge. All restrictions are listed in back of ticket.

AMC tickets have no expiration date. The price for a black ticket is $10.25 per ticket.

PAYMENT METHOD: ONLY CASHIER’S CHECK, PERSONAL CHECK OR MONEY ORDER. NO CASH! Please make check or money order to: PUC Schools. If you are interested in purchasing AMC Black tickets, please contact Isamar Muñoz, HR Assistant.

T-Mobile offers exclusive discounts for PUC Schools Employees. Click on the T-Mobile logo above to visit T-Mobile’s promo website. To enroll by phone, contact Advantage Direct at 866-464-8662 and use promotional code 20356TMOFAV.

Any questions regarding our employee perks program, please contact Isamar Muñoz, HR Assistant, i.munoz@pucschools.org or (818) 559-7699

Sprint is pleased to offer monthly service discounts to eligible employees, students and organization members. Click on the Sprint logo above to visit Sprint’s promo website or visit the PUC Intranet, Employee Perks under the Team Member Tools tab.
PUC Polo Shirts and Laptop Bags for Sale

You can now purchase PUC Polo Shirts and PUC Laptop bags! Items can be purchased throughout the year. Please contact Isamar Muñoz from the Human Resources Department in order to place an order. You can reach her at i.munoz@pucschools.org or 818-478-2130.

PUC Polo: $20 for either the male or female cut.

PUC Laptop Bag: $40